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SUBJECT: TEXTILES: EC SUBMISSION OF BILATERAL TEXTILE
AGREEMENTS BEFORE TSB

GENEVA FOR PHELAN FROM SMITH

1. WOULD APPRECIATE ASSESSMENT OF U.S. REP TO TSB AS TO WHEN EC WILL SUBMIT ITS BILATERALS TO TSB FOR REVIEW. WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE PROGNOSIS ON WHETHER THESE BILATERALS WILL BE CHALLENGED AND IF SO, BY WHOM AND UNDER WHAT GROUNDS.
2. USG RECOGNIZES THAT SEVERAL EC BILATERALS MAY NOT BE SUBMITTED TO TSB UNTIL SUCH ITEMS AS LINEN AND FLAX PRODUCTS ARE TAKEN OUT OF THOSE PARTICULAR AGREEMENTS BUT FOR U.S. DOMESTIC REASONS, IT IS BECOMING INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT THAT THE EC BILATERALS WITH ITS MAJOR SUPPLIERS BE MADE PUBLIC.
3. FYI: U.S. TEXTILE INDUSTRY IS INCREASING ITS PRESSURE ON USG TO MAKE A PUBLIC COMPARISON BETWEEN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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U.S. AGREEMENTS WITH HONG KONG AND KOREA AND THE EC'S AGREEMENTS WITH THOSE SUPPLIERS. THIS PROMISES TO BE AN INTERESTING AND UNCERTAIN EXERCISE. END FYI.

4. PLEASE REPEAT REPLY TO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK FOR USTEXDEL. TOUSSAINT

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